

I benefit greatly from listening to XM Satellite Radio and its traffic and weather channels. The information put forth from these outlets surpasses that of any local station. XM Satellite Radio provides variety and quality that are not available elsewhere, especially since the majority of stations are owned by a few corporations. All we get on commercial AM & FM stations is the same. This stations have homogenized radio.

I choose to pay for the services that XM Radio provides, and it should not be up to the National Association of Broadcasters to dictate what I am permitted to hear. I respectfully urge the FCC to reject the NAB's petition 04-160 and to support XM's ability to provide the kind of programming that we, the citizens of a free country, demand and deserve.

Thank you.